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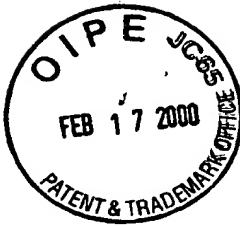
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Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

In the Specification:

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Page 7, lines 8-10, delete "The signal is received at 47 as enabled by detector 48. It is compared against a predetermined level and either a good, or a not-good output is produced." and insert: - The current signal quality indicator status is determined in block 64, that is if the signal is currently displayed as "good" or "not good". Depending on the status, the decision goes to block 65 or 66, respectively. -

Page 8, line 1, delete "whether".

Page 8, lines 2 through 8, delete everything between "audio distortion is above--" and "---unacceptable amount of distortion." and insert - currently displayed audio quality indicator, that is, if the signal

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